UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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MICHAEL MATHIE, IV,

Plaintiff,

VS

9:05-CV-848

GLENN S. GOORD, Commissioner; EDWARD J. McSWEENEY, Assistant Commissioner/Executive Assistant; THOMAS G. EAGEN, Director, Inmate Grievance program, Central office review Committee; and NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES.

Defendants.

APPEARANCES:

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DAVID N. HURD United States District Judge DAVID L. COCHRAN, ESQ. Asst. Attorney General

## ORDER

Plaintiff, Michael Mathie, IV, brought this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. In a Report Recommendation dated August 23, 2006, the Honorable Randolph F. Treece, United States Magistrate Judge, recommended that the motion to dismiss be granted. Objections to the Report Recommendation have been filed by the plaintiff.

The Court also notes that the defendant New York State Department of Correctional Services has never been served, and the complaint is dismissed as against it as well.

Based upon a de novo review of the portions of the Report-Recommendation to which the plaintiff objected, the Report-Recommendation is accepted and adopted. <u>See</u> 28 U.S.C. 636(b)(1).

Accordingly, it is

## ORDERED that

- 1. The motion to dismiss is GRANTED;
- The complaint is DISMISSED as against defendants Glenn S. Goord, Edward J.
   McSweeny, Thomas G. Eagen and New York State Department of Correctional Services.

United States District Judge

3. The Clerk shall enter judgment accordingly.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: November 20, 2006

Utica, New York.